

FOR WITH
GOD
ALL THINGS
ARE
POSSIBLE

MARK 10:27

South Hill United Methodist Church
October 14, 2018
11:00 am

21st Sunday after Pentecost
October 14, 2018

ENTRANCE

GATHERING, WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Amazing Grace* arr. Swann

ENTRANCE OF THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

*CALL TO WORSHIP *(Robert D. Ingram)*

You are the salt of the earth.

May we season the world with faithfulness, O God.

You are the light of the world.

May your love shine through us, O Christ our Savior.

You are a city built on a hill.

May your vigor make us bold witnesses,

O Spirit of the only living God.

*HYMN *Precious Lord, Take My Hand* UMH 474

*OPENING PRAYER *(Cuba, 20th Cent.)*

We believe in you, O God,

for you have made the suffering of humanity your suffering.

You have come to establish a kingdom of the poor and humble.

Today we sing to you,

because you are alive, you have saved us, you have made us free.

Amen.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

May the peace of Jesus Christ be with you,

And also with you.

PROCLAMATION

HEBREW READING *Job 23: 1 – 9, 16 - 17* pg. 372

CHILDREN'S TIME

ANTHEM	<i>Shine, Jesus, Shine</i>	Choir
*GOSPEL READING	<i>Mark 10: 17 - 31</i>	pg. 716
MESSAGE	<i>Possibilities</i>	Rev. Brian Siegle

RESPONSE

CONCERNS, CELEBRATIONS, AND TESTIMONIES

PASTORAL PRAYER

PRAYER *(Paul J. Flucke, USA, 20th Cent. alt.)*

**O God, source of all that makes life possible,
giver of all that makes life good:**

**We gather to give you our thanks,
yet we confess that we have often failed
to live our thankfulness.**

**What we have we take for granted,
and we grumble about what we lack.**

**We have squandered your bounty,
with little thought of those who will come after us.**

**We are more troubled by the few who have more
than by the many who have less.**

Forgive us, O God.

**In this hour of worship, accept our thanksgiving;
and teach us to make gratitude and sharing our way of life;
through the grace of Jesus Christ. Amen.**

GIVING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS & CHILDREN'S OFFERING

OFFERTORY	<i>Larghetto</i>	Handel
*CHORAL RESPONSE	<i>Doxology</i>	UMH 95
THE LORD'S PRAYER		UMH 895

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

UMH 402

*BENEDICTION

*FOLLOWING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

*POSTLUDE

March

Gluck

*Those who are able, please stand.

Notes:

Mark 10: 17 - 31

As Jesus continued down the road, a man ran up, knelt before him, and asked, “Good Teacher, what must I do to obtain eternal life?” 18 Jesus replied, “Why do you call me good? No one is good except the one God. 19 You know the commandments: Don’t commit murder. Don’t commit adultery. Don’t steal. Don’t give false testimony. Don’t cheat. Honor your father and mother.” 20 “Teacher,” he responded, “I’ve kept all of these things since I was a boy.” 21 Jesus looked at him carefully and loved him. He said, “You are lacking one thing. Go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor. Then you will have treasure in heaven. And come, follow me.” 22 But the man was dismayed at this statement and went away saddened, because he had many possessions.

23 Looking around, Jesus said to his disciples, “It will be very hard for the wealthy to enter God’s kingdom!” 24 His words startled the disciples, so Jesus told them again, “Children, it’s difficult to enter God’s kingdom! 25 It’s easier for a camel to squeeze through the eye of a needle than for a rich person to enter God’s kingdom.”

26 They were shocked even more and said to each other, “Then who can be saved?” 27 Jesus looked at them carefully and said, “It’s impossible with human beings, but not with God. All things are possible for God.” 28 Peter said to him, “Look, we’ve left everything and followed you.” 29 Jesus said, “I assure you that anyone who has left house, brothers, sisters, mother, father, children, or farms because of me and because of the good news 30 will receive one hundred times as much now in this life—houses, brothers, sisters, mothers, children, and farms (with harassment)—and in the coming age, eternal life. 31 But many who are first will be last. And many who are last will be first.”



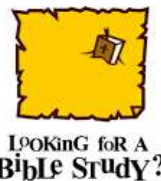
Notes of Interest

United Methodist Women's Potato Luncheon – will be today in the Fellowship Hall following the 11:00 am service. The cost is \$4 and the proceeds will benefit the Society of Saint Andrew.



There's Still Time to Register for the next 5 Talent "Influence: Worship 2018" event featuring Bishop Sharma Lewis, Greg Moore, Jason Byassee and Matt Miofsky. The event will be held on Tuesday, October 30th 9:00 am – 3:00 pm with South Hill UMC being a satellite location. **Event cost: \$40/person Registration deadline: October 22, 2018.** It will be a great event, focusing on worship!

New Bible Study Interest: We are trying to determine interest in a second evening Bible Study. This would not compete with the Tuesday/Wednesday study led by Pastor Brian. Initially, we would offer the Discovery Series (Our Daily Bread/Day of Discovery) and plan to meet on Thursday nights. Please contact Pastor Brian at the church or Dewayne McGee at 434-210-8004 with any questions or feedback.



October Special Offering - World Communion Sunday - The World Communion Sunday offering funds graduate racial-ethnic World Communion Scholarships, with at least one-half of the annual amount reserved for ministries beyond the United States. Donations also provide for undergraduate U.S. Ethnic Scholarship and Ethnic In-Service Training programs.

This year's youth and children's Christmas play is "Never Too Old for Christmas"! Rehearsals will start on Sunday, October 21st at 5:00- 5:45 pm in the music room. The play will held on Sunday, December 23rd at 5:00 pm. In addition, children ages 3-11 will be singing one (1) Sunday during advent and at the cantata. Please contact Mary Hardin at 434-917-2789 if you would like to participate.

If you are visiting us, kindly take a moment to complete the Visitor Card and place it in the offering plate.

Church Office Hours This Week

Monday – Thursday: 8:30 am – 4:00 pm
Friday: 8:30 – 12:30 (pending volunteers)

Office phone: 434-447-4761

This Week at South Hill UMC

Today	8:45 am	Worship Service
	9:45 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship Service
	12:00 noon	UMW Potato Luncheon
Monday:	3:30 pm	SHEEP
	5:30 pm	Called Staff-Parish Committee Meeting
Tuesday:	10:00 am	Bible Study
	3:30 pm	SHEEP
	5:00 pm	Called Finance Meeting in Library
	7:00 pm	Seekers in Prayer (707 N. Brunswick Ave)
Wednesday:	7:30 pm	Synago (212 Pennington St.)
	3:30 pm	SHEEP
	6:30 pm	Bible Study
	6:30 pm	Narcotics Anonymous
	7:30 pm	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday:	8:00 pm	AA Group
		November Newsletter Articles Due
	10:45 am	Hundley Chapel Service
Friday:	3:30 pm	SHEEP
	7:00 pm	AA Group
Saturday:	8 - 3	Community Service Sale

Next Week's Sermon:

Laity Sunday

This Week's Bible Study

Isaiah 6: 1 - 13

Woe is me!

Coming Events:

October 21 st	Laity Sunday UM Men's Breakfast 8 am Church Committee Meeting 12 NOON
October 22 nd	Christmas Play Rehearsal Begins 5:00 – 5:45 pm VCU/CMH – Breast Cancer: Symptoms, Treatments and More! 4 pm, VCU Health, CMH Education Center
October 27 th	Monster Mash 4 – 7 pm at Centennial Park
October 28 th	Worship technology training at Noon
October 30 th	5 Talent 9 – 3
November 4 th	Daylight Savings Time Ends Church Council Meeting 12 Noon Dedication Recital of new organ at 3 pm at Clarksville Baptist Church, Jimmie Keith Crowder, Jr. Recitalist
November 11 th	Heritage Sunday
November 17 th	District/Charge Conference 10 am – 1 pm Calvary's Hill Gospel Concert – 6pm

We welcome you heartily on this Sabbath of the Lord! Whether you are a long-time member or a first-time visitor, we pray that you may experience refreshment of body, mind and spirit through our worship together.

This Week's Worship Team

Greeter:	Gerry Nash
Acolyte:	Sophie Crowder
Liturgist:	Charlene Gray
Nursery Attendant:	Michelle Tanner
Teller:	Nancy Merrel
Friday Office Volunteer:	
Music Director/Organist:	Jimmie Crowder, Jr.
Worship Technicians:	Jimmy Hardin & Cameron Shook
Resident Bishop:	Sharma D. Lewis
District Superintendent:	Bob Parks

Known Prayer Concerns: Members

Hundley Center: Jo Carol Cole & Lucy Queen **Chase City:** John & Judy Turchetta
Meadowview Terrace: Carrie & Everett Barbour and Cynthia Davis **Pineview:** Norene Pritchett
Missionaries: C.W. & Leslie Bing, Guthrie Family, Annie Judd, Ruth & Colson Lacey, Justice O'Koth
Family and friends of: Jon Coulter and Billy Doyle and Charles Medlin

Home:

Shirley Carrillo	Anne Doyle	Evelyn Lambert
Brenda & Doug Child	Lynn Haskins	Julia Taylor
Paul, Nancy & Peggy Conner	Jean Holmes	Shirley Wetherbee
Mary Coulter	Bill Hudson	Transformation at SHUMC
Maxine Crowder	Jerry Klingenberg	

Family & Friends:

1st Baptist Church	Victims of flooding in NC	Christopher Brack
Susan Gill	Victims in Indonesia	Glenn Bugg
Haiti	War-torn areas of the world	Nell Warren Coffman
Trina Tucker Paynter		Emily Harper
		James "Jimmy" Walker

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